

# CROSSFIELD CHRONICLE

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PRICE 1.50 A YEAR

## Laut's Store News

### Last of the Preserving Supplies

Fill up the empty sealers now

Citron per pound	6c
Grapes per basket	60c
Ripe Tomatoes, per basket	25c
Prunes per case	1.25

### Time to Put Your Heaters In

Stove Boards, good ones	\$1.00
Stove Pipes 6 or 7 inch	20c
Tee Pipes	35c
Elbows 6 or 7 inch	25c
Coal Hods	50c

Wm. Laut

### Our Regular Inspection Service Keeps Cars Going !

It's an automobile's job to take you places—and it's our job to keep your automobile in condition to go when you want to go.

We're thoroughly equipped to give you that kind of service. Drive in for regular inspections.

In a road emergency, call on us—mechanics who know their job will come quickly.

### All Grades of Autolene Motor and Tractor Oils

### CROSSFIELD GARAGE

F. T. BAKER, Proprietor

Phone 4

Crossfield, Alberta.

### Dont Go Home

with an empty wagon. Load up with coal and wood for fall use. We stock the right kind of coal and nice dry wood for these "nippy" mornings.

### Atlas Lumber Co., Ltd.

HARRY R. FITZPATRICK

Member

Phone 15

W.R.L.A.

### Cheaper Than Eaton's Price

Service Wagon Gear 3 1-2	\$77.00
Metal Wheel Truck 3 1-2	50.50
Wagon Box, standard	32.50
Grain Tank, 125 bushel	\$38.00

### J. M. Williams

Massey-Harris Agent

General Blacksmith

Acetylene Welder

"Let George Do It"

### OLIVER CAFE

MEALS

DAY or NIGHT

CROSSFIELD

George and Fong

### Attendance at C.W.L. Banquet Exceeded All Expectations

Mrs. R. Nichol as convenor and her committee for the C. W. L. banquet and concert held Monday night, deserves great credit for the untiring efforts put forth to make this annual affair an outstanding success. The menu was second to none and the most appropriate decorations so tastefully arranged, added real color to the occasion. Unfortunately, for late comers, the attendance exceeded all expectations.

The program following the supper, was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Rev. Father Dargan acted as chairman.

After the singing of O Canada, Rev. Father Dargan in a few opening remarks thanked all present for their attendance. He called upon all members of his congregation who were present when their church was built twenty-five years ago to stand, and they received a real round of applause.

Rev. Father Rouleau of Calgary, pleased the audience with two joint vocal and violin solos.

Miss Anna Robertson gave a neat exhibition of tap dancing followed by a humorous monologue.

Tommy Hannah of Calgary, brought forth many rounds of applause and laughter with his humorous solos.

R. M. McCool paid tribute to the handful of pioneers who undertook the task of building the church and to that pioneer community spirit where member and non-member worked side by side. Much of the work being gratis. He read the names of the members of that time who had since passed on and to whom much credit was due. Mr. McCool added a glint of humor by relating a few incidents in connection with the building of the church that was unknown even to the members.

Miss Fliegel of Calgary delighted the large audience with two humorous readings.

Little Norma Edmundson of Carstairs and the two Stafford children of Airdrie, were the hit of the evening with their vocal solos. These children displayed real talent.

Miss Edmundson, Mrs. Stafford and Gerald McKernan of Calgary assisted at the piano.

The concert was followed by a dance for which the music was supplied by "Ferguson's Melody Boys".

### "Shorty" Thomas In Serious Condition

L. B. (Shorty) Thomas was found in bed with a bullet wound in his forehead at noon today (Thursday).

Dr. Whillans was called in and on examination he considered it advisable to take him to the hospital at Calgary. He had not regained consciousness at 2 p.m.

### Annual Bazaar November 19th.

The Womens Guild are holding their annual bazaar on November 19th in the U. F. A. Hall. Will also serve tea and sell home cooking.

They have some very nice fancy work and it would be worth your while to have a few Xmas gifts ready, so come along and see what they have at reasonable prices.

### Armistice Dance Nov. 11th.

The Canadian Legion are holding their annual Armistice Dance in the U. F. A. Hall on Nov. 11th.

The following committees are in charge of the dance: F. Stevens, chairman; C. H. McMillan, J. P. Winniford and H. May.

Ladies are again requested to bring refreshments.

Tickets are now for sale by members of the Legion.

Remember the holder of the lucky ticket will receive ten dollars in cash.

WHEAT  
Crossfield, Thursday, Oct. 13  
No. 1 Northern..... 29 1/2

### BURGLARS AGAIN VISIT CROSSFIELD

Thieves Secure \$275 Loot Early This Morning—Halliday's Second Loss Within Six Months

Thieves broke into Halliday's store early this morning (Thursday) and got away with around \$275 worth of general merchandise, including men's wear, ladies' hose, cigarettes and tobacco.

The store was thoroughly ransacked and goods strewn all over the floor.

Entrance had been made through the front door, and it looks as if the burglars had a key to fit the lock, or picked it, as there is no marks of any jingling around the door.

This the second time within six months that Halliday's has been entered, as on May 18, \$400 worth of merchandise had been taken.

### Forged Cheques Cost Local Business Men \$39.00

George Morden, a transient laborer, who had worked in the district during harvest and threshing, fleeced three of our local business men to the extent of \$39.00 by forging cheques in the name of O. Bills, for whom he had worked.

Morden had gone into the U. F. A. Store at about 6:30 on Saturday evening and tried to cash a cheque for \$18.00. Mr. Griffiths refused to cash the cheque as he thought the amount had been raised, as there was considerable space between the eight and the teen and a hyphen used.

As soon as Morden left the store, Percy phoned to Mr. Bills and found that the cheque had been forged. Mr. Bills came right in to town, and word was passed around concerning the cheque, but it was too late, as Morden in the meantime had cashed the \$18.00 at the Johnson's Cash Store. Buying a sweater, and receiving \$14.25 in cash. He also cashed a cheque for \$14.00 at the Crossfield Meat Market, and a \$7.00 cheque at the Service Garage. In both cases he received the full amount in cash, and left for parts unknown.

Warrants have been issued for Morden's arrest and no doubt in the course of time the police will get him.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST

Jack Reeves of the Dog Pound district has 25 acres of barley that threshed out over 80 bushels per acre.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edmundson were enroute to Crossfield on Monday evening, when their car caught on fire, and considerable damage was done before the blaze could be extinguished. However, they secured another car and arrived here in time for the banquet.

The regular monthly meeting of the Floral Local U. F. W. A. was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. McRimmon on Wednesday. 18 members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gordon were visitors at Three Hills the first of the week.

Miss Marjory Metheral is visiting friends in Three Hills this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Landers are leaving this week to take up their residence in Bulwark, Alta.

More Trees on the Farms  
A tree planting policy for Alberta, which will be operated at first on a comparatively small scale, has been definitely decided upon by the Government, according to an announcement by Hon. R. G. Reid, Minister of Lands and Mines for the province. The new system will come into effect next spring, and provides for the free distribution of young white spruce trees to farmers throughout the province.

## Notice

Owing to the continued depression we will allow

### 60c per bushel for No. 1 Wheat

F. O. B. Crossfield; other grades in proportion, for all debts incurred prior to January 1st, 1931.

### Crossfield District Co-Operative Association U. F. A. Limited

### Red-Giant Threshers Belts (Super Grip)

### Red Endurance Thresher Belts

We carry in stock these famous Dominion Thresher Belts and can supply them in any sizes from a drive belt down. Prices have been greatly reduced.

### The Service Garage

W. J. Wood Phone 11  
Tires Accessories Repairs

### THE OLIVER HOTEL

A. CRUICKSHANK, Prop.

Steam Heated, Hot and Cold Water

Dining Room and Lunch Counter in Connection

Crossfield Phone 54 Alberta.

## Meats

### Fresh and Cured Meats

Farmers! Get our Special Low Prices on Meats for Harvesting and Threshing.

### CALGARY BREAD

"The Big Loaf"

### 5c a loaf

### Home Meat Market

Chas. Mielond Crossfield

### Turner Valley Gasoline

For Sale at our Pump on Main St.

25c per gallon

### M. Patmore

### CROSSFIELD TRANSFER

Daily Service from Crossfield to Calgary

Phone 62

CROSSFIELD

**Outstanding Value—Always**

# "SALADA" TEA

"Fresh from the Gardens"

The Price Of Wheat.

Saskatchewan is the great wheat growing province of Canada. In normal years it produces more wheat than any state in the United States, and more than one-half of all the wheat grown in Canada, and Canada is one of the great wheat exporting countries of the world. Wheat is not only the primary industry of Saskatchewan, as it is to a somewhat lesser extent of Manitoba and Alberta; it is its very life blood upon which the existence of all other business and industry depends. It is, therefore, a vitally serious matter when the price the farmer can obtain for his wheat drops below the cost of producing it, and today yields them on these prairies only some 30 odd cents a bushel. Why is this?

Dr. T. M. Anderson, Premier of Saskatchewan, recently stated he could see but little hope for any great improvement in the price in view of the great surpluses and in view of the fact that Germany, France, Italy and even Spain were growing sufficient for their own needs. He expressed the belief that the only remedy lay in a conference of leading wheat-growing countries of the world to arrange curtailment of production.

Mr. James C. Gardner, leader of the opposition in the Saskatchewan Legislature, has, in speeches delivered by him, outlined the reason why these European countries, which formerly were large importers of Canada's wheat, are now producing sufficient for their own needs. He has pointed out that it is not because it is economically profitable for them to do so; quite the reverse is true. Today is devoting lands to the growing of wheat which formerly grew grapes to be made into wine, and which if still devoted to vineyards would yield larger profits. Germany likewise is devoting large acreages to wheat growing that could be and formerly were put to much more profitable purposes. The same is true of Italy, Spain, and other European countries. And the question persists: Why?

The reason is: Fear. And it is the only reason. The nations of Europe are still suspicious of each other; each convinced that others have designs upon them and only await a favorable opportunity to wage war upon them. The world could disarm tomorrow if it were not for the prevailing fear in the minds, not of statesmen alone, but of all the people of Europe. They expect another war and are preparing for it; hence they will not disarm, but are strengthening their positions in every way they can.

And when war comes, as they are convinced it will come sooner or later, the resisting power of any country will depend upon the degree to which it can feed its own people. Germany learned that great lesson in 1914-18. The people of France can live without grapes and wine, but not without bread; so former vineyards are now given over to growing wheat and other grains; in Germany century-old forests have become wheat fields and the production of leguminous plants have been discontinued for wheat growing; Russia is also giving up almost superfluous efforts to grow tobacco, quantities of wheat to save land that it cannot lastly accomplish; electrical equipment, chemicals, minerals of all kinds, and thus create enormous industrial wealth which can, when required, be converted into munition tanks. The men on the large state farms in Russia who are operating farm tractors are, at the same time, being taught the mechanism of tanks for war purposes so they will be trained and ready to switch from the tractor to the tank. The same thing in varying degrees is taking place in all continental European countries.

It is all a price exacted by "Fear," and the nations are prepared to pay the price of heavy losses sustained by the conversion of lands to wheat growing which could much more profitably be utilized for other purposes. As a result Europe no longer needs to import quantities of wheat, and the prairie provinces of Canada, whose primary business is wheat, find the old markets upon which they relied closed to them, and themselves in the position of being unable to sell at a price which will cover the cost of production, let alone yield a profit.

The Canadian people themselves cannot change this condition; it cannot be done by moving our Customs tariff up or down; or by inflation of currency; or by nationalization of banks, socialization of industry, writing off of debts and interest charge, because, if the prairie farmer was freed of all debt today he would begin getting into debt again tomorrow if he went on producing wheat which he could not sell except at a price below what had cost him to produce.

The main cause of our financial and economic difficulties in Western Canada today is the fundamental one—"Fear." If that fear could be dissipated and confidence re-established, European countries would discontinue non-profitable wheat growing and go back to the production of those things which would yield them more substantial returns; they would again buy wheat instead of raising it, and would be able to pay a good price for it out of the profits derived from the production and sale of those things they can produce, and formerly did produce, to better advantage than other countries.

What can Canadians do in the matter? Only this: Resist every tendency in the direction of a narrow nationalism, and encourage a broad internationalism, because extreme nationalistic feelings and ambitions on the part of one nation develop fear and a like feeling in all other nations. Every time a racial or religious prejudice is emphasized, fear is raised in the minds of some one. Whenever one nation seeks to advance its own interests at the expense of another nation, suspicions are aroused and fear grows. One reacts upon another, and suspicion, antagonisms and fear grow like mushrooms in the dark.

The world is paying an awful price because it is filled with "Fear." Let us help both nationally and in our daily individual thought and actions to dissipate it.

Has Taken Long Time

A compact volume, containing all the building laws of the city of Montreal, will be issued shortly. The book, first mooted in 1896, drafted in 1910 and to see the light of day 22 years later, is said to be a first step towards a drastic town planning programme. S. Fortin, city expert, has devoted his whole time this year to compilation of the manual.

Prince Of Wales Thoughtful

Royal courtesy is always apparent in the conduct of the Prince of Wales. During a hot spell, recently, when the sun was blazing on the sentry's beat at York House, the Prince, noticing this, suggested to the Officer of the Guard that, for the time being, the sentry might transfer his beat to the other side of the court, where there was some shade.

Pains In Stomach and Bowels  
So Bad Would Have To Sit Down



Mrs. C. Landry, Moncton, N.B., writes:—"I can certainly recommend Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for cramps or pains in the stomach and bowels."

"Last summer I had such awful pains in my stomach, and lower part of my bowels, at times, I would have to sit down. I took Dr. Fowler's and was soon relieved."

"When my children were small I always kept a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the house and it helped the children whenever any of them had bowel complaints."

Record Hard To Equal

Newspaper Correspondent Wrote Out Long Speech From Memory

Discussing newspapers with prodigious memories W. Orton Tewson, the English writer who lives in New York and writes a column of anecdotes, says that Stephen de Blowitz, famed Paris correspondent of The London Times in the seventies, broke all records. According to the story J. T. Delane, editor of the Times, had been visiting Paris and with de Blowitz heard the French Minister of Foreign Affairs deliver a long and important speech in the Chamber. There were no arrangements for reporting such matters in those days. Delane remarked to de Blowitz, as he was taking a train for London: "If we could have that speech from end to end in tomorrow morning's paper, what a glorious thing it would be!" After his editor departed de Blowitz reasoned he could remember the speech, word for word. He wrote it down and cabled it, and Deyane found it in the columns of the Times when he reached London. It was an accurate report.

NOT A PAIN AT 78

She Feels Like 48

Aches and pains are not inevitable in old age. When they come, there is nothing to do for them but to learn what can be overcome. Here is a little lesson on growing old, by a woman of 78:

"For the last five years I have taken Kruschen Salts and I tell you truthfully I could not live without them. I am 78 years old. I have not a day of 48."

"Most people grow old long before their time, because they neglect vital points of health, and give up internal cleanliness. Eventually they start the healthy Kruschen habit. Then, probably for the first time in their lives, they feel energetic and happy. In a word, they've got that famous 'Kruschen Feeling.'"

Interior Of Earth

Interest Scientists

Find Ocean Tides Disturb Crust For Six Miles Inland

Fresh evidence that scientific investigation again has taken a pernicious course comes with the announcement by two men in California that the push and the pull of ocean tides disturb the earth's crust for a distance of six miles inland. Recently scientific interest turned to the stratosphere, with the ascent of Professor Piccard; now it is directed toward the interior of the earth. Since the discovery in California was more or less accidental, being made in connection with other experiments, further observations will be required to establish its full import. These will be made next winter.

Western Canada Flowers

Manitoba Shipe Lily Bulbs To The Old Country

Frank L. Skinner, on the Hardy Plant Nutures, Dropmore, Man, who makes several shipments of lily bulbs to the Old Country and to America, has recently received a letter from W. A. Constable, Kent, England, specialist in lilies and rare bulbs that he had received favorable comments concerning his lily from various enthusiasts who saw his spike at the R.H.S. show and also from Abbé Souillet, in France, who was particularly struck with the bulb. Constable is preparing these lily bulbs to be shown at the lily conference in London next year.

If Miller's Worm Powders needed the support of testimonials they could add from those who know the grave value of this worm medicine. But the powders will speed for themselves and in such a way that there can be no question of them. They act speedily and thoroughly, and when the worms are administered will show improvement from the first dose.

Defects Counterfeited Coin

Attila Somoly, Hungarian actor, has invented an apparatus by which he claims, one can easily detect counterfeit coins, even when such coins contain a liberal quantity of the more valuable metals and alloys. One such apparatus is now being tested by the Hungarian National Bank and another by the post administration.

Douglas Egyptian Liniment is recommended for sore necks, galls, distemper, calous and spasms. Removes profuse flesh and Hoof Rot. Stops bleeding instantly.

About nine-tenths of the coal mined in Bulgaria is produced by the state-owned colliery at Pernik.

**PACKS  
RIGHT-  
LIGHTS  
RIGHT-  
BURNS  
RIGHT**

**IN  
YOUR  
PIPE**

If you "roll your own," use Ogden's fine cut cigarette tobacco.

Task For Scotland Yard

British Police Trying To Discover Agents Of Drug Ring

Six women prominent in British society, wealthy, glamorous, and elegantly dressed, are being watched day and night by Scotland Yard as the alleged chief agents of a drug ring supplying Mafai with thousands of dollars' worth of narcotics.

So far the women have thwarted efforts of the police to get the conclusive evidence demanded by the English courts.

These six entertain and move freely in the titled circles of London's west end.

Hannah Swaffer, noted dramatic critic and London columnist, claims to have been at several Mayfair parties where a secret traffic in narcotics was taking place. She is a dress racket which spreads from the heart of Piccadilly through the great boutiques of Paris and right across Europe into Asia," he wrote recently.

Turkey is said to be the chief source of the narcotics, which are brought across the Syrian desert to the small port of El Kantara, on the Suez Canal.

"My friends all ask me what I used"

"I had a lovely delicately-colored silk scarf from Paris which was my pride," writes an enthusiastic woman from Quebec. "It became so soiled I had to wash it while running round my heartbroken. One day I saw in the drug store a new kind of tints—Diamond Tints. The druggist said—Diamond Tints! They were for light shades and did not damage the cloth. I used to boil them in cold water as a sunset! My druggist says repeated washings will not fade it. My friends were as delighted as I and wanted to know what I used. Indeed, I'm enthusiastic about Diamond Tints!"

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DIAMOND  
TINTS  
AT ALL  
DRUG STORES

Deserves Censure

We regret to report that the Toronto Star is guilty of suggesting—a proposal of an exhibition of girls' bathing suits made of spruce—that a social note may yet say: "we were much struck with M's Blanks' spruce bathing suit when we cedar in it."

There are 6,000 distinct varieties of daffodils according to the Royal Horticultural Society of London, and of these 900 are registered.

Once it was a joy ride when the horse felt his oats; now it is a joy ride when the driver feels his rye.

The first pneumatic tire, introduced almost a century ago, were made of canvas and leather.

Ty Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Good girl . . . she has the same old headaches . . . backaches . . . and blues. She ought to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in tablet form.

Structure Of The Atom

Photograph Perplexes Noted Scientists and Upsets Theories

A single photograph perplexes noted scientists recently and apparently threatened to upset accepted theories regarding the structure of the atom.

The photograph, one of 10,000 made by Dr. Carl D. Anderson, California Institute of Technology graduate, shows the tracks left in vapor by particles blasted out of the hearts of atoms of cosmic rays.

The probable interpretation of this track, scientists who viewed the photograph at a meeting of the American and Physics Club stated, is that it was made by a positively charged atomic particle out of line with previous atomic conceptions.

For many years, physicists have based their picture of the atom on the theory that the mass of a proton, or the positively charged particle in the nucleus of the atom, was more than 1,000 times that of an electron, one of the negatively charged particles which fly about the nucleus.

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## Great Britain Is Only Country In The World To Take Her Tariff Out Of Politics

Unlike every other country in the world Great Britain has taken her tariff out of politics. Day by day, the "Advisory Committee of Tariffs" is in session under the chairmanship of Sir George May, the well known business man whose economy report a year ago was the cause of the crisis which set up the National Government.

With him sit the other members of the committee, Sir Sidney Chapman and Sir Guy Rose. They perform a function usually assumed by a government itself, report independently to the government and are now engaged in building a tariff in a way tariffs have never been before.

The committee has full power to investigate any tariff already in existence. One of their early acts was to reduce the import duties on certain woollen schedules from 40 to 10 per cent. They issued this order overnight, and it was promptly implemented by the government.

The procedure is to let it conduct its inquiry in whatever way suits it best. It may hear pleas from industry. It may investigate without prompting. It may call witnesses to produce whatever information it desires. It ends by issuing a report to the British treasury. On receipt of this report it is published without undue delay. It then rests with the government whether or not to implement that recommendation. The government may refuse to act. But the government has denied itself the power to pass higher duties than those recommended by the committee. It may, on the other hand, pass lower duties.

If any industry feels the duty recommended too low, the government refuses to hear the case. The industry must appear again before the committee and make its point.

No one may appear before the committee. That is, representatives of the public at large have not the right. Any industry may appear, or any merchant or dealer in any commodity. It is hoped, in this way, that the consumers will receive due attention from the committee. In the case of British industry, the pressure of exporting interests are so strong that demands from industrialists for more and more protection are at once countered by the export trades, who appear before the committee to show proof that if the duties are raised, their ability to compete in the world market will vanish.

For this reason, the committee's functions have, since it was set last, been largely that of a court of conciliation where conflicting claims are fought out and a balance struck.

So pleased is the government with the functioning of the board that the British delegation at the Imperial Conference pressed hard for the establishment in every dominion of a similar tariff board. On the proper functioning of these boards, the British delegation pinned their faith for the implementation of the agreement calling for the institution of competitive tariffs throughout the British Empire, e.g., tariffs fixed at a level at which efficient industry would be protected from unfair competition from outside.

### Funny Or Agricultural

The Empire Marketing Board tells us that "of the 250 million pigs in the world only 12 per cent are Empire pigs. The Empire has, however, more than a third of the goats." It is difficult to know whether the Board is being funny or agricultural, says the Winnipeg Free Press.

Guest (to the rich hostess)—"Was your house ever robbed?"

Multi-Millionaire—"Well, it may have been, but of course, we would not notice it."



Doctor: "No wine, no theatres, eat little, spend a lot of time in bed—and get as much amusement as possible."—Eugenio, Madrid.

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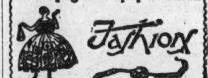
### Britain Likely To Capture Toy Market

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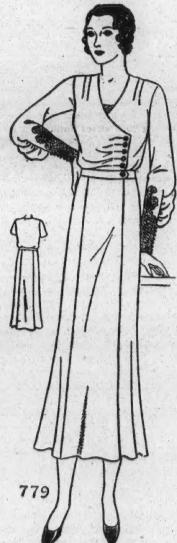
Up till recently nearly all the moderately-priced clockwork toys in which children delight were of foreign manufacture.

Now, thanks to the new tariff of twenty-five per cent on foreign toys, Britain has gone out to capture the toy market. A big manufacturing firm has laid down plant costing £300,000. They are preparing 2,000,000 articles for the Christmas market, and expect to double output the following year. It has meant employment for 500 people, and another 1,000 are to be taken on if hopes are realized. Everything is made under the same roof, from clockwork mechanism to painting, carding, stitching, though cheaper now than American or German toys, are very much superior. The clock motor-cars run at least 50 feet farther than their rivals at the winding; while the better models are fitted with electric light, a windscreen wiper that wipes, and an indicator that really indicates. A tank after the approved War Office pattern climbs undaunted over telephone directories, and always surmounts the inkwell with ease. Already orders are pouring in.

### Winnipeg Newspaper Union



(By Ruth Rogers)



IT'S SIMPLICITY ITSELF TO MAKE THIS CHARMING DAY DRESS

Here's an individual dress you'll just love for its interesting details. It's cut rather along slenderizing lines, making it equally suited for the miss or the matron.

The distinct treatment of the bodice is the salient feature. And don't you think the puffed sleeves, tightened at the wrists adorable?

A satin crepe is stunning for to fashion.

You can also use rough crepe silk, which is extremely voguish. Wool crepe would also prove a charming medium.

Size No. 779 is designed for sizes

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Price 2 pattern 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

### How To Order Patterns

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ALL QUIET ON THE BRITISH CABINET FRONT



## Hon. Herbert Marler Sees A Big Potential Market In The Orient For Canadian Wheat

### Canada Produces Prize Celery

Dominion Products Ranks First Among Nations Of World

Everyone knows that Canadian hard wheat sets the standard by which all other wheats are judged. Few realize that as a producer of prize celery, Canada also ranks first among the nations of the world, states the Market Intelligence Service of the Dominion Fruit Branch.

Proof of the superior quality of Canadian grown celery is found in every grocery or fruit and vegetable store. Fresh young stalks, straight from the celery-growing areas of the Dominion, are reaching the market in quantity and although the quality is exceptional, prices are very reasonable.

In choosing her celery, the housewife should do well to keep the following facts in mind. Always look for stalks that are well bleached with a good solid heart foundation. Stems should be succulent and snap readily when bent. Avoid stems that are fat and thin, as they are often stringy. Celery that is green and poorly bleached usually lacks flavor. Stalks that are badly split at the base should never be purchased.

With the superior quality of Canadian celery so plentiful, this delightful vegetable should have an important place in the diet of every household. It provides an excellent appetizer and side dish and because of its mineral content is ideal for purifying the blood and lending general tone to the whole system.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

### Canada Stands Third In Silver Production

And British Columbia Is Now Leading All Provinces

The Canadian silver production in 1931 was approximately 20½ million ounces, or 10.5 per cent of the world's computed production of 196 million ounces. Canada has for many years ranked third amongst the silver-producing countries of the world, being exceeded by Mexico and the United States, the former contributing about 42 per cent and the latter about 22 per cent annually to the world's total production.

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### Business Pays Debts

Creates Necessary Relationship Between Debtor and Creditor

No debts are ever paid except by willing, healthy debtors, and no force known to human technique can make a one-sided bargain sound. It is the very basis of capitalist enterprise that the debtor's interest must coincide with the creditor's; that the debtor must also benefit by the debt he owes to his creditor. Otherwise the capitalist loses his money. When debts are artificially created by politicians of one country who simply demand large payments from the politicians of another country to pay for such trumpery absurdities as wars, of course the thing ends in smoke. Business, not politics, is the only motive that can create the necessary relationship between debtor and creditor.

### Sarcastic But Polite

A constable stepped out at the end of the police trap. "Excuse me sir," he said, producing his notebook, "but you have exceeded the speed limit over a measured piece of road."

"I've done nothing of the sort," retorted the motorist. "And besides—"

"Well, sir, if you don't believe me, you can ask the sergeant, he was him who took the time. He's over by the pigsty yonder."

"I wouldn't trouble him for worlds," was the acid reply. "It's sooner pay five fines than disturb the sergeant at his meals."

All fishes apparently contain iodine, usually a minute quantity.

### Science Should Be Cautious

Knowledge Of Vitamin May Complicate Problem Of Growing Old

News that vitamin "G" may be obtained in common foods adds grave implications to the discovery that this vitamin is capable of lengthening youth. Knowledge that tomatoes, spinach, liver, yeast and other foods contain this peculiar property is likely to complicate rather than simplify one of the greatest problems of life—that of growing old.

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SWORD-SWALLOWER: "I've bin an' seen the doctor, sir, an' he says I've go to go on a special diet."

SHOW MANAGER: "What does 'e recommend—razor-blades?"—The Humorist, London.

Lack of initiative to look for foreign markets for their products by Canadian wheat growers and millers, in particular, is deplored by Hon. Herbert Marler, Minister for Canada in Japan.

"In my opinion the grain growers should have an expert stationed at Shanghai all the time to investigate the possibility of selling Canadian grain," declared Mr. Marler. "Ten years ago China imported 53,000 tons of wheat; two years later it imported 377,000 tons, and the amount in succeeding years varied, but in 1931, China imported the stupendous amount of 1,500,000 tons. In the first four months of this year she imported 600,000 tons of wheat."

"The percentage of Canadian wheat imported by Japan and China has been steadily diminishing instead of going up."

"Investigation should be made by grain growers and millers as to the possibility of selling far more of our grain and flour to China."

"When we secure our place in those markets," said Mr. Marler, "we must see that a steady supply of the products is sent out or we cannot hope to have stable markets in the Orient or anywhere else."

"The minister of trade and commerce, Hon. Harry Stevens, has done and is doing all in his power to assist the export trade of Canada," declared the minister.

"In addition to markets for our wheat and flour there are vast opportunities in the way of our paper products in the Orient, as well as canned milk, apples and such like," said Mr. Marler. "But all these require investigation because the market of the Orient is a competitive market and will not come to Canada, but Canada must go after it."

"Our organization in the Far East is in excellent shape. In fact, it may be said to be quite as good as any other country."—Free Press.

### Word Now Recognized

"Appendicitis" Omitted From First Volume Of Oxford Dictionary

In the course of his Bologna lecture dealing with "the surgical revolution," Sir Humphry Rolleston said:

"The word 'appendicitis,' much criticized as a barbarous hybrid of Latin and Greek terminology, has been constructed by H. F. Pitt of Boston, Mass., in 1886. It does not appear in the first volume of the Oxford Dictionary; the editor, Sir James A. Murray, said that when that volume of the dictionary was in course of preparation (1888) he consulted a regius professor of medicine, and was informed that it was not necessary to include it, as the disease was very rare."

"Although it had been described many years before, by James Parkinson in 1812, by John Burns in 1836, by Thomas Hodgkin in the same year, and by Thomas Addison in 1839, appendicitis was not generally recognized until influenza reappeared in this country in 1889; it was then called peritonitis, a term dating from 1843, and entered in a subsequent volume (1905) of the Oxford Dictionary with a reference to appendicitis."

### Photos Of Submerged City

Remains Can Be Seen Beneath Level Of Sea

Photographs are being taken of the submerged city of Jamestown, once the capital of Nevis, an island in the West Indies. The remains of the city may be seen near the shore, beneath the level of the sea. Jamestown was visited by an earthquake on April 30, 1860, and the town slipped into the sea, carrying with it all its houses and a population estimated at 14,000.

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## OPEN WAY FOR DISCUSSION OF IRISH SITUATION

London, Eng.—President Eamon de Valera of the Irish Free State left for Dublin after having agreed with J. H. Thomas, Dominions Secretary, to make the controversy over unpaid Irish land annuities the subject of negotiations to start October 14.

An official statement issued at the conclusion of the two-hour conference between Mr. de Valera, Mr. Thomas and several other members of the cabinet said:

"We have agreed to adopt a suggestion that the question concerning Irish land annuities should be made the subject of negotiations between the two governments."

"In the course of our conversations attention was called to the fact that other sums of money formerly paid to the United Kingdom were being withheld by the Irish Free State. It was agreed that negotiations should cover these sums also and that the discussions be begun in London if possible on October 14."

Meanwhile it was said the Free State will continue to keep the disputed funds in a suspense account where they were placed pending settlement of the controversy concerning them.

### Ottawa Conference

#### Meetings Held In London Take Divergent Views On Empire

Results of the Ottawa Imperial Economic Conference were described variously as substantially advancing Empire economic co-operation and as "preposterous" at two meetings in the United Kingdom this week.

The Central and Associated Chambers of Agriculture, meeting in London, unanimously passed a resolution welcoming the conference as bringing a "substantial advance towards a policy of Empire economic co-operation and agricultural development." At the same time, Sir Herbert Samuel, former Liberal home secretary, who resigned recently from the national government, said in a speech at Darwen the agreements were "preposterous."

Sir Herbert maintained that when the agreements are published it will be found neither in India nor in the Dominions will the cotton trade of the United Kingdom receive any appreciable concessions.

He denounced also the proposal to impose a heavy duty on cod liver oil from Norway in order to divert part of the trade in this commodity to Newfoundland. He asked his audience how anyone should dare to propose this "enormous duty" on a medicine "essential to the life and health of a vast number of children in the poorest homes."

The agricultural chambers, however, expressed satisfaction that the agreements at Ottawa recognized the principle that agriculture in the United Kingdom should have a prior claim to the home markets.

### Woman Elected President

Vancouver, B.C.—Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith is again president of the British Columbia Liberal Association. The election of the woman who has made British parliamentary history as the first woman cabinet minister, was one of the most colorful incidents of the convention just concluded. It is just 40 years since she came to British Columbia.

### Wheat Price Problem

Ottawa, Ont.—Low prices for wheat constitute one of the major problems for parliament to cope with at the present session, in the opinion of Robert Gardner, U.F.A. leader and member for Acadia, Alberta, who is now in Ottawa. The main task was to find a level on which a fair return would be given to the wheat farmer, Mr. Gardner said.

### An Unusual Celebration

Nish, Jug-Slavia—When Mr. and Mrs. Philipovich celebrated their 100th wedding anniversary more than 100 descendants—sons, daughters, grandchildren and great grandchildren—visited them. He is 117 and his wife 115.

### Liberal For Century

Wolverhampton, England.—This great midland centre witnessed on October 4, the start of a unique century. East Wolverhampton celebrated the fact that for exactly 100 years it has sent a Liberal to the House of Commons.

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## Appoint New Secretary

J. R. McLean To Succeed Graham Spy As National Secretary Of Canadian Clubs

Ottawa, Ont.—The executive committee of the Association of Canadian Clubs has announced the appointment of J. R. McLean, formerly of Winnipeg, to the post of national secretary. Mr. McLean will take over his duties at once as successor to Graham Spy, who resigned May 1, last.

Mr. McLean graduated from the University of Manitoba in 1926, with the degree of bachelor of arts, and the M.A. degree from the same university the following year, at which he was chosen Rhodes scholar from Manitoba. He obtained the degree of bachelor of letters from Oxford in June, 1931. He is 27 years of age and a son of Mr. and Mrs. John McLean, Yorkton, Sask.

Mrs. P. A. Wheeler, assistant secretary, who has been acting secretary since Mr. Spy's resignation, will continue as assistant secretary.

## Grain Shipped To Churchill

Movement Of 1932 Crop Now In Full Swing

The Pas, Man.—The movement of 1932 wheat from the prairies of western Canada to Churchill for storage during the winter, and immediate shipment overseas when navigation opens in 1933, is now in full swing, with nearly 1,000 cars already north of The Pas; the grain passing over the Hudson Bay Railway at the rate of approximately 100 cars per day.

Nine hundred and fifty cars are north of The Pas, it was stated at the local office of the Bay Line, and during the past few days has been passing through at the rate of 100 cars daily.

It is expected grain will continue to go north at a rapid rate for some time to come, and according to indications the Churchill elevator will be filled before winter sets in. The total capacity of the elevator is 2,500,000 bushels.

## Alberta Oil Fields

Believe Gushers Will Be Discovered To Stagger The Imagination

Calgary, Alberta.—In the near future enough crude oil will be produced in Alberta between Kehl Lake and the international boundary to supply the British Empire, according to Arthur L. Davis, consulting geologist and petroleum engineer of the Wilshire Oil Company, visiting Alberta oil district. Mr. Davis believes oil gushers will be discovered that will "stagger the imaginations of Albertans."

C. A. Honey, Los Angeles oil operator, accompanied Mr. Davis. Mr. Honey plans to drill a well at Twin Rivers, 25 miles east of Milk River town. The drilling will take place on the property of the Norden corporation, where Mr. Davis predicts 1,000 to 10,000 barrels daily will be produced. He placed a \$100,000,000 value on the property.

## Loan Conversion a Success

New South Wales Lists Closed Within Half An Hour

London, England.—New South Wales loan conversion, sponsored by the commonwealth along the lines of the British conversion, reducing the government's interest burden by a substantial figure, proved a remarkable success.

Cash applications were so heavy that the lists were closed within half an hour. The new loan is for five years carrying 4 per cent. Interest in the case of the Australian loan there is a 2½ per cent. bonus with a seven-day limit.

The converted loan totalled £12,360,950. Former interest rates on this sum were 6½ per cent. The nominal interest for the new issue is 3½ per cent, but allowing for the premium on repayment the overall yield will be about four per cent. Altogether the conversion will mean a saving of nearly £500,000 a year.

## Universities To Confer

Meetings Of The Heads Of Western Universities To Be Held

Edmonton, Alberta.—A call will be sent out probably this week by Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the University of Alberta, for a meeting of the heads or other representatives of western universities, as proposed by Premier Brownlee a few weeks ago.

Replies have been received from Saskatchewan and Manitoba approving of the suggestion, and word has come from British Columbia that an answer from that province will be ready shortly.

## Trade Wheat For Vegetables

Alberta Farmers Resorting To The Ancient System Of Barter

Calgary, Alberta.—Alberta farmers have turned again to the ancient system of barter to supply their wants for the winter. They are entering British Columbia by motor truck through the Crow's Nest Pass, carrying wheat which they trade for vegetables, fruit and eggs.

This method of acquiring food for the winter instead of selling their wheat at prevailing low prices was used by the farmers last year, but, according to reports, the movement this season is much larger. The farmers are returning from British Columbia farming areas with their trucks loaded with winter food supplies.

One farmer claims to have disposed of a load of wheat on the basis of 60 cents to the bushel, obtaining sufficient fruit and vegetables to keep his family all winter.

## Jap Population Grows

One Out Of Every Eight Births At Coast In Japan

Victoria, B.C.—Approximately one out of every eight births registered in British Columbia during 1931 were Japanese, according to figures released by H. W. Young, provincial health officer. Last year, registration of births of all races totalled 9,640, of which 1,542 were Japanese. Despite the fact the Chinese population in British Columbia exceeds that of the Japanese by several thousands, only 177 Chinese births were registered last year.

## PROPOSAL MADE TO DISCUSS THE GERMAN POSITION

London, England.—The Exchange Telegraph Agency said the British Government was seeking to determine whether a conference could be arranged to discuss Germany's withdrawal from the disarmament conference. France, Germany and Italy were being consulted.

The agency said the matter was still under consideration, and the British Government had intimated if the conference course were feasible and generally approved, it would be willing to arrange a meeting for this purpose in London.

The exact object of the conversation would be to determine whether the difficulties arising from Germany's withdrawal could be discussed in an exchange of views.

Berlin, Germany.—The British chargé d'affaires verbally submitted to the foreign office an official invitation to a conference of the powers to be held in London to pave the way for Germany's return to the world disarmament conference at Geneva.

In replying to the invitation Germany emphasized that the certain guarantees given that her demands for armament equality would be fulfilled did not necessarily allow the German delegation to participate.

Without fulfillment of the German demand, the chargé d'affaires was informed, the London meeting would be徒.

WEDDING OF RAMSAY MACDONALD'S DAUGHTER



Dr. Alista MacKinnon and his bride, Dr. Joan MacDonald, daughter of Premier Ramsay Macdonald, leaving the little church near Chequers after the ceremony. Every guest wore a sprig of heather, and pipers played the bride and groom back to the reception.

## TO HEAD COMMISSION

Oregon Forest Fire

Loss Is Estimated At More Than

\$2,000,000

Portland, Ore.—Roaring in from all sides with blasting heat, a forest fire destroyed the town of Cochran in the mountain timber country, about 50 miles west of Portland in Washington county.

The loss, including that in the town, two mills, railroad equipment and timber, was estimated by those in the area at more than \$2,000,000. The town's 200 inhabitants escaped.

The community and mill camp at Edwards, nearby, burned to the ground. At Edgertown, three railroad timber-cutting rail lines, several trestles and other equipment of the Southern Pacific were destroyed.

All equipment and buildings of the C. H. Wheeler Logging Company in the Cochran area burned.

The only death reported from the most disastrous forest fire in years was that of a logger killed by a falling tree.

From other sections of western Oregon there came reports of fires less serious, but holding much potential danger. A warm wind drying all foliage and grass, coupled with unusually hot October weather, er, presented a menace.

## Soviet Watchword

Quality Rather Than Quantity Is To Be Guiding Principle

Moscow, Russia.—Quality rather than quantity is to be the watchword of Soviet production during 1933. So the central committee of the Communist party decided at the four-day meeting which has now ended.

The resolution declared the committee in confidence to the leadership of T. D. S. Tatarkov, and extorted from him "a free mandate to choose for his associates in government men of character, ability and standing, having regard solely to the public interest."

Hon. Ian Mackenzie, M.P., for Vancouver Centre, predicted any success that may have been attained at the Imperial Conference would be inseparable from the disarmament conference. France, Germany and Italy were being consulted.

The agency said the matter was still under consideration, and the British Government had intimated if the conference course were feasible and generally approved, it would be willing to arrange a meeting for this purpose in London.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith was "madame chairman" at the opening of the convention. She called the delegates by their first names at

## Used Hudson Bay Route

Miss Cora Hind First Woman Passenger Sailing Via Churchill

Winnipeg, Man.—Miss E. Cora Hind, veteran agricultural editor and the greatest woman journalist Canada has produced, sailed out of Churchill Bristol-bound, the first woman passenger to use the Hudson Bay route.

For the better part of her life Miss Hind has shared in western Canada's fight for a direct outlet to world markets through Hudson Bay. When the route was finally opened to the grain trade of the world, she was eager to see for herself the Hudson Bay Railway and the northern sea passage for which she had fought so vigorously and successfully.

Confiding her ambitions only to a few friends and relatives, she left Winnipeg for Churchill determined to get a passage. She had intended to travel earlier than she did, and only chance saved her from being a passenger on the "Bright Fan" which struck an iceberg and went to the bottom.

Without fulfilling of the German demand, the chargé d'affaires was informed, the London meeting would be徒.

I am much pleased with the attitude of members of the law society," said the premier, "in offering their services on a very fair basis in an effort to work out the debtor-and-creditor difficulties. Meanwhile I can say quite definitely that any creditor firm that is showing that any present system is existing in this province, and is willing to cooperate in solving the problem, has but little to fear."

Queued as to a resolution reported to have been sent from the wholesalers' association in Calgary, to the effect that no further government action be taken to disturb the present credit relations, Mr. Browne said that no such resolution has as yet reached him.

Edmonton business interests may fight the proposed voluntary debt adjustment scheme for this province, feeling that the present system should not be disturbed.

Arrangements were being made here to call a meeting of wholesale firms in order to discuss the whole plan. In all likelihood, retail interests also will hold a meeting.

"The reaction to the scheme shows considerable opposition at present," said Secretary John Blue of the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce. "There is a strong feeling that as new legislation was made effective this year, modifying the Debt Adjustment Act, business men are not clear as to the difference involved as between the secured and unsecured creditor."

## APPOINTMENT OF NEW RADIO COMMISSION

Ottawa, Ont.—The new Canadian radio broadcasting commission will be headed by Hector Charlesworth, Toronto, editor and critic. Thomas Maher, Quebec journalist, will be vice-chairman. Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. Steel, Ottawa, director of radio research for the national research council, will be the third member of the cabinet council.

Official announcement of the personnel of the commission has been made. Appointment of the commissioners was made at a meeting of the cabinet council.

The emoluments of the chairman will be \$10,000 per year. Vice-Chairman Maher and Commissioner Steel will each receive an annual salary of \$8,000.

Establishment of the commission was authorized by legislation passed at the last session of parliament. The bill was based on recommendations of a special committee of the House of Commons. The commission is empowered to carry on the business of broadcasting in Canada and regulate and control broadcasting by other agencies.

## Many Killed In Cloudburst

Damage Caused At Tehachapi, California, Runs Into Million

Bakersfield, California.—The bodies of 15 victims had been recovered, five others were listed as dead and unconfirmed reports said 21 additional bodies had been found in a wrecked freight car in the flood-swept wake of the Tehachapi cloudburst that took a toll of possibly 45 lives and caused damage estimated from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000.

Unverified reports to the Southern Pacific Company here said a boxcar, swept from a bridge when the torrent wrecked two freight trains, had been found to contain the bodies of 21 men and boys.

## Liquor Law Attacked

Criticizes Liquor Control System In British Columbia

Vancouver, B.C.—Allegations that bootleggers determine liquor legislation; that the present liquor control system has caused an orgy of crime and that arrests for drunkenness have increased 400 per cent. and liquor consumption 1800 per cent. since prohibition in British Columbia were made today at opening sessions of the annual British Columbia Prohibition Convention by Rev. R. J. MacIntyre, organizer.

## Japanese Policy

Cabinet Decides Not To Alter Decision Regarding Manchuria

Tokyo, Japan.—The cabinet decided that the Lytton commission's report on Manchuria to the League of Nations did not constitute cause to alter its Manchurian policy.

A cardinal point of that policy is the separation of Manchuria from China and maintenance of the independent state of Manchukuo, which the Japanese assisted in creating, to replace the old regime, owing allegiance to Nanking.

## Alberta Bush Fires

Edmonton, Alberta.—Bush fires are reported to the provincial forestry department from the country west of Edmonton, toward the mountains, and where in particular the situation is said to be quite serious. Smoke from these or other fires is already making itself felt in the city.

## Employee Electrocuted

Alix, Alberta.—George B. Johnson, employee of the Calgarian Power Company, was electrocuted while he was repairing the device on a platform 15 feet above the ground. Mr. Johnson, resident of Lacomb, Alberta, leaves a wife and family.

## Suspected Slaver Held

Lilicoet, B.C.—Frank Gott, game guide and trapper, wanted in connection with the murder of Albert E. Farey, game warden, near Mohs, was captured near the scene of the shooting.

## Inaugurate Five-Day Week

Cincinnati, Ohio.—Adoption of the five-day week in all its plants in Canada and the United States was announced by Proctor and Gamble. It goes into effect October 16.

## Burnt-Out Spots

Method Of Cultivating Bad Spots On Prairie

In certain sections of the prairie provinces, and more particularly in southwestern Saskatchewan and southern Alberta, the prairie surface contains many irregular but roughly circular depressions varying from three to six inches in depth and from a few feet to twenty feet or more across. These depressions are known under various names, such as "burnt-outs," "blow-outs," or "silk pots." The depressions are usually bare or support a scanty growth of vegetation, while the surrounding prairie is well covered with grass. The burnt-outs appear to be spots which from some cause or other have lost the original surface soil. The soil in a burn-out is very fine in texture and so impervious that after water has been standing in the depressions for several days the soil below the first few inches is quite hard and dry.

Where the burn-out spots are not extensive, the land, when placed under cultivation, will produce very fair crops in favorable seasons. Breaking up a burn-out has been a difficult process, as the plough tends to slide out on striking a burn-out spot. If the work is not very well done, crops are very uneven for the first few years after breaking, those on the burn-outs being thin and stunted. This fact suggests the necessity of having the normal prairie soil well mixed with that from the burn-outs. It has also been observed by residents in burn-out areas that the burn-out spots get smaller in the course of time. This is undoubtedly due to the encroachment of the prairie sod favored by the drifting of soil into the depressions from adjoining cultivated fields. A more satisfactory preparation for this type of land has been secured by the use of powerful machinery. The breaking is done early and preferably with the ground moist. The soil is later well worked down and mixed by means of a heavy float or scrubber.

## The Pas Developing As Distributing Centre

Fruit Shipments Direct From California Indicate Rapid Progress

The Pas is developing rapidly as a distributing centre for northern Manitoba, according to Paul Nafel, manager of the branch of the National Fruit Company. During the past few weeks the first direct shipments of carloads of oranges and lemons from California ever to come into the north country have been rolling into The Pas Manitoba.

Already two carloads of oranges and lemons have been imported direct from the California Fruit Growers' Association. Formerly all goods were handled from some western Canadian jobbing centre, and shipped there.

This development is news in that it is indicating the trend in the north country. It is a commercially significant development in the progress of The Pas as a distributing centre.

### Is Really Illegal?

The St. Thomas Times-Journal suggests that professional hitch-hiking may yet be declared illegal. Much of it is already illegal. The Highway Traffic Act provides that "no person shall, while on the travelled portion of a highway, solicit a ride from the driver or operator of a motor vehicle other than a public vehicle." The penalty is \$5 to \$10 for a first offence, graded up to as high as \$50 for repeated offences.

Poet—"After my death the world will realize what I have done."

Editor—"Oh, well, you don't need to worry; you'll be out of danger then."

When a horse barks, the bark is in his head, not in his legs. He goes ahead whenever he decides to go ahead.



"I'd never marry a man who ran after me."

"No, but I suppose you've nothing against a man who toots with a motor horn."—Karikaturen, Olson

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## THE SPECTACULAR RESCUE OF THE "FLYING FAMILY"



This picture graphically illustrates the rescue of the Hutchinson "Flying Family" by the British trawler, "Lord Talbot," after the plane "City of Richmond" had been forced down in the icy waters of Greenland. Inset Mrs. Hutchinson is shown being helped aboard the rescue craft while her children at right, are safe in the arms of rescuers. At the left is her husband, George Hutchinson, leader of the ill-fated expedition. Larger picture shows Mrs. Hutchinson and her children, Janet, Lee and Katherine, as they surveyed the wreckage of their plane from a barren rock near the Eskimo village of Elker, Greenland.

## Making Own Weather

### Russians Find Much Can Be Done In This Respect

The Russians have decided to make their own weather. So optimistic are they that an Artificial Rain Institute has been started at Moscow, and others are to follow. Russia is largely dependent upon the crops grown on the farms, and scientists state that presently they will be able to plan out a regular scheme of fine weather and rain occurring at just the right times. Experiments made by means of aeroplanes and powerful ground stations have shown that much can be done in the way of bringing down rain by means of powerful high-tension currents. It has also been found possible to break up hall-storms by bombarding them with great bell-mouthed cannon, firing blank charges. When the approach of a hall-storm is signalled by telephone the gunners are called to their stations and every effort is made to cause the hall to fall in districts where it will do the least damage. The vibrations set up by the bell-mouthed cannon frequently bring down the hall and prevent it from travelling to places where it might do damage.

## May Complete Century

### Electric Bell In Oxford Laboratory Has Been Ringing 92 Years

Ninety-two years ago, an electric bell made by a London instrument-maker started ringing in the Clarendon laboratories at Oxford. It has never stopped, and the odds are that it will complete its century of incessant ringing. So far no repairs or replacements have been needed.

It is not a loud bell, for its sound is audible only a few feet away, and it is rather an extraordinary looking contrivance. There are two ordinary gongs surmounted by long tubes, between which hangs a little metal ball supported by a thread. The ball taps one gong and then swings away and taps the other. You might think that this is perpetual motion, but it is not, for the bell is operated by batteries in the tubes above the gongs. Some day these must wear out or run down.—Tit-Bits.

## Narrow-Minded Man Always Sees Faults

### Unable To Appreciate Fine Qualities Of Humanity

It is usually the small-souled and narrow-minded man who can decry faults and failings with an eagle eye, but upon whom all the finer and grander qualities of humanity are lost. To him who ever walks with head bent and eyes on the ground the whole universe appears to be made of dust; but who goes with head erect and eyes uplifted breathes the pure air and forgets the dust that may be under his feet.

### Sure Of Acquittal

"Your offense is a serious one," said the judge, "and if you are convicted it will mean a long term in prison. If you cannot employ a counsel the court will appoint one for you."

The prisoner leaned toward the judge and in the most confidential manner whispered, "I have no lawyer, but it's all right, judge; my tailor and landlady are on the jury."

Oil has been discovered in Durus, County Cork, Irish Free State.

## Self-Pity Is Bad Habit

### Those Indulging In It More Harmed Than Helped

Never complain. Let that be your leading principle. Self-pity is one of the worst habits any one can have. Unfortunately innumerable persons have this evil habit, to their own and other people's misfortune. By pitying themselves, by continually pondering on their troubles and making a display of these in order to arouse pity in others, they increase their own suffering without doing themselves any good whatever. Self-pity is sentimentalism of the most foolish kind, and is characteristic of the weakling. Just as dirt is matter in the wrong place, so is sentimentalism a feeling in the wrong place!

We are equipped with feelings that may be activated by them to leave undone that which may be necessary, and to seek out that which will be advantageous. When we suffer pain, we should turn it to account by letting that something is going on which may be altered, and by getting to work on the instant to make the necessary change.

If, instead of doing this, we render to the pain, we are not true persons of feeling, but sentimentalists. There are, unfortunately, more sentimentalists than persons of true feeling, and in every one of us there is a considerable infusion of sentimentalism. Almost all of us being commiserated, are fond of indulging in self-pity, thereby doing ourselves more harm than we imagine.—E. Tietzen

## British Are Tea Drinkers

### People Also Use Cacao But Very Little Coffee

The British have never been a coffee-drinking people. Their partiality in hot beverages is tea. Nor is coffee making any progress at the breakfast table. And tea is. The imports of coffee are decreasing and tea are increasing.

The importation of coffee in the seven months of 1892 by the United Kingdom was 495,145 pounds, of which only 202,451 pounds were entered for home consumption.

On the other hand the importation of tea in the seven months just ended was 284,630,000 pounds, and this was an increase in two years of 16,560,000 pounds. The quantity exported to all countries was 40,179,000 pounds so that the amount for home consumption was 224,451,000 pounds.

That works out at a little over eight pounds in the year for every man, woman and child in the United Kingdom.

As a matter of fact the British people consume more than three times the amount of cacao that they do of coffee.

The vast bulk of the British supply of tea comes from Ceylon and India, and the coffee from Central America and British East Africa.

## Fee Pinch Of Hard Times

### Treasures From Japan's Buddhist Temples Are Being Pawned

Hard times are not sparing anyone and Japan's 70,000 Buddhist temples are finding the pinch. Priests have given up cultivating temple lands to raise food for themselves and their families. Temple treasures and rich ecclesiastical robes have appeared in pawn shops and many of the smaller temples are closing. In good years, it is a prosperous temple that receives \$250 a year on contributions or rents, but as Japan's rural districts have been worst hit by the depression, this income has been almost wiped in 50,000 of the temples.

The giant cactus begins to bear fruit when about fifty years old and is not fully grown until it reaches the century mark.

Terciera is the second largest island in the Azores.

## A Rare Accomplishment

### Contrary To General Opinion Good Talkers Are Scarce

There are few accomplishments to be desired above the art of a skilled and interesting conversationalist. Judged by a multiplicity of examples the term is disconcertingly misunderstood.

So many folks seem to think that wind and words make conversation. They blather about inconsequential things. Their victims are given no opportunity to drop a suggestion nor to express an opinion. That is one reason why so many intelligent and highly educated people talk so little.—Brandon Sun.

## Rare Plant Blooms

### The Victoria Regia, One Of The Rarest Tropical Plants Ever Transplanted To A Northern Climate, Bloomed A Few Weeks Ago At The Paris Museum Of Natural History For The First Time In Forty Years.

Enormous white flowers appeared among the large leaves and bloomed for several days before going to sleep again for perhaps half a century.

The sea has its "deserts" where there is little or no sign of life.

## The Sleepy Car Driver

### Many Serious Accidents Have Been Result Of Fatigue

When will tourists and others on the road learn that any attempt to continue driving when the limit of physical endurance is in sight is to court disaster, possibly with very serious consequences?

Patigued by an all-night drive, a Syracuse man recently drove his car into the side of a heavily-laden truck on one of the Western Ontario highways. He and his father were killed, and his mother, the remaining occupant of the car, was seriously injured. The party was en route to Michigan where the marriage of the driver was being arranged.

This accident was one of many directly traceable to fatigue on the part of the driver, who found himself incapable of exercising sound judgment when an emergency arose. Had he not tried to do the impossible, he and his father would probably be alive today.

It cannot be emphasized too strongly that the time to stop driving is when fatigue begins to creep over the individual at the wheel. Even the most momentary nod on the part of a driver may be attended by serious consequences when the machine is travelling at high speed, and many a driver has discovered himself in the ditch, with his machine a wreck and himself injured, because he tried to continue at the wheel at the need for rest instead of stopping.

For the safety of others on the road, the authorities have now had the good sense to demand of truck and bus companies that their drivers shall remain on duty for only a certain length of time. They recently suspended the license of one trucking concern which violated these regulations in a particularly flagrant manner.

If such a rule is required of truck and bus drivers, it ought also to be required of the private driver who all too often keeps on driving when he is physically incapable of doing so in an approved manner and thus invites disaster in which others besides himself may be involved.

## Old Anchor Is Historic

Closely Linked With Discovery Of Manitoba's Seaport

Catalogued and numbered, an old anchor, linked with the discovery 318 years ago of Churchill, Manitoba's northern seaport, occupies a place among historical exhibits owned by the government of Manitoba.

Encrusted with brine and shaped like two great joined fish-hooks, it passes almost unnoticed by the throngs who pass it daily to view trophies of a younger generation.

Dug out of the bed of the Churchill River during harbor excavations, the anchor once held fast the good ship "Emborjörning," one of two ships which set sail from Copenhagen, in September, 1619, with Captain Jens Munck, Danish explorer.

Munck had hoped to find the "Northwest Passage" to the Far East. With 64 men he arrived at the mouth of the Churchill River and was forced to winter there. Only Munck and two others were left when the next summer came. Scurvy and shortage of food had taken a terrible toll. The three set sail for Norway in the smaller of the two ships. The anchor was left at Churchill.

## Lone Voyage Of Toy Yacht

A child's toy yacht, fifteen inches long, did a lone voyage of 129 miles in the Irish Sea. It was launched on May 1st, 1933, from a Fleetwood trawler bound for the Falkland Islands. The boat sailed all alone in perfect condition. An address in Bangor, County Down, was on the sail and the ship was returned to its owner who probably valued the toy highly.

He: "There are an awful lot of girls who don't want to get married." She: "How do you know?" He: "I've asked them."

South Africa has a big new-road programme.



"What are you doing with that bundle of wood?"

"That is not a bundle of wood—it is a collapsible fishing rod."—Pages Gales, Yverdon.

## FANCIFUL FABLES



## Seems Fair Division

Canada's production of creamy butter declined nearly 5 per cent in July, and a total of 5,000,000 pounds in seven months, compared with last year. In July, however, the Dominion wrested second place from the Netherlands in exporting cheese to the United Kingdom, and New Zealand was a close second in supplying the British market with butter. It is a fair division of Empire trade.

"A fine little man. Do you help mother?"

"Yes. I am going to count the spoons when you have had tea."

Shanghai, China, will continue its rebuilding programme.



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### THE HOUSE OF DREAMS-COME-TRUE

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CHAPTER XXXIV.

The Test

New Year's Eve found Jean sitting alone in Claire's special sanctum—the room which had witnessed that frightful scene when Sir Adrian had suddenly gone mad.

It was a cosy enough little room in winter-time. A cheery fire crackled in the open grate, while a heavy velvet curtain was drawn across the door that gave access to the terrace, effectively screening out the ubiquitous draught which invariably sent entry through crack and hinge-space.

Claire was in the Drawing Room this evening, where a New Year's dinner-party was in progress, but Jean had no heart for festivities of any kind even had she not been precluded from taking part in them by reason of her father's death.

The grief and strain of the last four months had set their mark upon her. She was much thinner than formerly—her extreme slenderness accentuated by the clinging black of the dress she was wearing—while faint purple shadows lay beneath her eyes, giving her a look of frailty and fatigue.

She and Claire led a very sober and uneventful existence at Charnwood, the one absorbed in her quiet happiness, the other in her quiet grief. But the bond of their friendship had held true throughout the differing fortunes which had fallen to the lot of each, and although for Jean there was inevitable additional pain involved in still remaining within the neighbourhood of Staple, it was counterbalanced by the comfort she drew from Claire's companionship.

Besides, as she reflected dispiritedly, where else had she to go? The Dower House would have been open to her, of course, at any time—but then she would be certain to encounter the Duke and Duchess, and of late her principal preoccupation had been to avoid such meetings whenever possible. And she could not face Beaufiefs yet—alone! Some day, when Claire was married, she knew that she must brace herself to return there—a house of dreams that would never come true now. But at present she shrank intolerably from the idea. She craved companionship—above all, the consoling, tender understanding which Claire, who had herself suffered, was so well able to give her.

The book that she had been reading earlier in the evening lay open on her knee, and her thoughts were with Claire now. She pictured her sitting next to Nick at dinner, her flower-

like face radiant with unconquered happiness. At least her own sorrow had not yet taught her the grudging envy which cannot endure another's joy.

With a quickly repressed sigh, she turned again to her book. Its pages fluttered faintly, as though stirred by some passing current of air, and Jean, coming suddenly out of her reverie, was conscious of a cool draught waiting towards her from the direction of the terrace door.

Vaguely surprised, she glanced up, and a startled cry broke from her lips. The door was open, the folds of the curtain had been drawn aside, and in the aperture stood Blaise Tormain.

Jean sprang up from her chair and stood staring at him with dilated eyes, one hand gripping the edge of the chimneypiece.

"Blaise! . . . You!" The words issued stammeringly from her lips.

"Yes," he returned shortly. "I come in."

Without waiting for an answer he closed the door behind him, letting the curtain fall back into its place, and crossed the room to her side.

Jean felt her heart contract as her eyes marked the changes wrought in him by the few weeks which had elapsed since she had seen him. His face was haggard as though from lack of sleep, and the lines on either side of the mouth were deep scored into the flesh. The mouth itself closed in a tense line of savage misery and the stark bitterness of his eyes filled her with grief and pity, knowing how utterly powerless she was to help or comfort him.

Distrusting her self-control, she snatched at the first conventional remark that suggested itself.

"I thought—I thought you and Nesta were both dining at the Dower House," she said confusedly.

"Nesta is there. I made an excuse. I came here instead."

Something in the curt, clipped sentences sounded a note of warning in her ears.

"You you ought not to have come here," she replied quickly—defensively almost. "Why have you come, Blaise?"

"I came," he said slowly, "because I can't bear my life without you a day longer. Because—Oh! Jean! Jean!

Beloved! do you need to ask me why I came?"

With a swift, irresistible movement he swept her up into his arms, holding her crushed against his breast, his mouth on hers, kissing her as a man kisses when love has been long thwarted and denied at last bursts asunder the shackles which constrained it.

And Jean, starved for four months of the touch of the beloved arms, the pressure of the beloved lips upon her own, had yielded to him almost before she was aware of her surrender.

Then the remembrance of the woman who stood between them rushed across her and she tore herself free from his embrace, white and trembling in every limb.

"Blaise! . . . Blaise! . . . What are you thinking of? Oh! We're mad—mad!"

She covered her face with her shaking hands but he drew them away, gazing down at her with eyes that worshipped.

"No, we're not mad," he cried triumphantly. "We're sane—sane at last. We were mad to think we could live apart, mad to dream we could starve love like ours. That was when we were mad! But we'll never be parted again; sweet—"

"Blaise," she whispered, staring at him with horrified dilated eyes. "You don't know what you are saying!"

You're forgetting Nesta—your wife. Oh, go—go quickly! You must not stay here and talk like this to me!"

"No," he returned. "I won't go, Jean. I've come to take you away with me." Once more his arms went round her. "Belovedest, I can't live without you any longer. I've tried—and I can't do it. Jean, you'll come? You love me enough—enough to come away with me to the ends of the earth where we'll find happiness at last?"

She sought to free herself from his clasp, retreating with straining hands against his chest.

"No! No!" she cried breathlessly. "I can't go with you . . . you know I can't! Ah! Don't ask me, Blaise!" There was an agony of supplication in her voice.

"But I do ask you. And if you love me—his eyes holding hers—"you'll come, Jean."

"I do love you," she answered earnestly. "But it isn't the you I love asking me this, Blaise. It's some other man—a stranger—"

"If you love me, you'll come," he reiterated doggedly. "I can't live without you, Jean. I want you—oh, heart's beloved, if you knew—" And the burning, passionate words, the pent-up love and longings of months of separation and despair, came pouring from his lips—beseeching and demanding, wringing her heart, pulling at the love within her that ached to give him the answer which he craved.

"Oh, Blaise, dearest of all—hush! Hush!" She checked him brokenly, with quivering lips. "I can't go with you. We wouldn't bring us happiness. Ah, listen to me, dear!" She came close to him and laid her hands imploringly on his arm, lifting her white, stricken face to his. "It would only spoil our love—to take it like that when we have no right to. It would smother and kill it, make it something different. I think—I think, in the end, Blaise, it would kill it."

"Nothing would ever kill my love for you," she exclaimed passionately. "Jean, little Jean, think of what our life together might be—the glory and beauty of it—just you and I in our House of Dreams!"

She caught her breath. Oh! Why did he make it so hard for her? With every fibre of her being yearning towards him she must refuse, deny him, drive him away from her.

"No!" she cried tremulously. "We could never reach our House of Dreams that way—Oh, I know it! At least, not the sort of House of Dreams that would be worth anything to you or me, Blaise. It would only be a sham, a make-believe. You can't build true on a rotten foundation . . .

"Don't ask me any more, dear. It's so hard—so hard to keep on saying no when everything in me wants to say yes. But I must say it. And you . . . you must go back to Nesta."

Her voice almost failed her. She could feel her strength ebbing with every moment that he stayed beside her. She knew that she would not be able to resist his pleading much longer. Her own heart was fighting against her—fighting on his side!

He saw her weakness and caught at it eagerly.

"Do you know what you're asking?" he demanded hoarsely. "Do you know what you are sending me back to? Our life together—Nesta's and mine—has been simple hell upon

earth instead."

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An age-old trick was used by a Toledo thief to escape his pursuers. He had snatched a bag containing \$1,500 from a truck and bolted along the street. Thieves started in pursuit, but the thief thrust his hand into the stolen bag, pulled out a handful of bills and scattered them. Everyone dived for the notes, and while they were scrabbling for the money the thief got safely away.



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Nov. 14 CUNARD LINE B'lfast, London  
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FIRST SAILINGS FROM HALIFAX

Dec. 2 ARCANIA B'lfast, Liverpool, Glasgow  
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W. N. U. 1933

"What are you thinking of? Oh! We're mad—mad!"

She covered her face with her shaking hands but he drew them away, gazing down at her with eyes that worshipped.

"No, we're not mad," he cried triumphantly. "We're sane—sane at last. We were mad to think we could live apart, mad to dream we could starve love like ours. That was when we were mad! But we'll never be parted again; sweet—"

"Blaise," she whispered, staring at him with horrified dilated eyes. "You don't know what you are saying!"

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# THE CHRONICLE, CROSSFIELD, ALBERTA

## TURKEY SHOOT NOVEMBER 11th.

The Crossfield Baseball Club is planning to hold a turkey shoot Friday, November 11th. R. M. McCool will have charge of the event. It will be a big day for sportsmen of the district.

### Moving Pictures Featuring "Silas Marner"

United Church, Mon., October 17  
at 8 p.m.

Admission 25¢ Children 10¢

### Watch and Clock Repairing

We are agents for Calgary's leading jewelers and can give you good service.—The Chronicle office.

### Church of the Ascension (ANGLICAN)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16th.  
7.30—Evensong will be conducted by the Rector, Rev. A. D. Currie.  
Sunday School—Junior Classes at 10.00 a.m., Senior Classes please attend Church Services.

Harvest Festival on Sunday, Oct. 23rd. Announcement later.

Word has been received of the safe arrival in Canada of Rev. A. D. Currie on the Duchess of Richmond.

### UNITED CHURCH

SUNDAY, OCT. 16th,  
Special Thanksgiving Service  
Rodney at 11.00 a.m.  
Crossfield—Sunday School - 11.00 a.m.  
Evening Service - 7.30 p.m.  
H. Young, Minister.

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## 26 LIVES LOST IN ALBERTA BY FIRE!

This was the Toll of Human Lives in 1931.

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Forest Fire loss totalling more than ..... \$800,000.00

### Help Us Fight This Great Public Enemy

#### SOME OF THE CAUSES :

A neglected camp fire  
A settler's clearing fire.  
A carelessly handled burning straw stack.  
A lighted match heedlessly flung.  
An improper use of gasoline and kerosene.  
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These and many other causes result often in fires that snuff out lives and do untold property damage.

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THURSDAY, OCT 13th, 1932.

### Board of Trade Notes

Owing to the late harvest there will not be a Board of Trade lunch this month.

An announcement will be made in next week's issue who the speaker will be for the November meeting.

The farmers are contributing generously to the Board of Trade Grain Drive.

### "Not So Fast" Cheques

#### Are Expensive

One of the first cases in the district under the new legislation governing N.S.F. cheques was heard by E. H. Jones, K.C., on Sept. 30, when G. C. Gunnison was fined \$10 and costs for giving a cheque to R. J. Sharpe, of Hillsdown, which was N.S.F. Mr. Gunnison was instructed by the Magistrate to make the cheque good.—Red Deer Advocate.

#### I SAW

George Murdoch and Mrs. Jas. Robertson dancing the schottische at the dance on Monday night.

Tom Fitzgerald greatly enjoying himself at Monday night's banquet.

O. E. Jones picking the back of a chicken.

Bill Wood getting seven dollars worth of fish.

Little Norma Edmundson of Carstairs, bringing down the house with a solo at Monday night's entertainment.

Percy Griffiths refusing to cash a forged cheque on Saturday.

H. M. Seville taking a rear wheel off his car so to make it easier cranking.

A local farmer refusing an offer of 75¢ a bushel for his wheat—of course it was to be applied on an account.

Peggy and her friend dancing the polka during the playing of a fox trot on Monday night.

Frank Hopper paying his taxes and saving 10 per cent.

Art Heywood treating his friends to apple cider. Not a headache in a barrel full.

Constable Jarman taking a nut to Ponoka.

#### Edmonton Is Not So Good

John Zanni was a recent visitor to Edmonton. Mr. Zanni made the trip as a short holiday and to give the capital city a once over. He was not impressed with the city of wide streets, and scattered residential section; neither did the Edmonton beer taste good to him.

It is admitted that when a man is away from home and the beer is not to his liking, it has indeed.

This reminds us of the farmer from Alberta who had gone to reside at the Coast. He went into a beer parlor and purchased a bottle of beer, it seemed to have a somewhat peculiar taste, so he sealed up the bottle and sent it to the Government analyst. He received the following reply:

"Your horse has diabetes."

Miss Landymore of the Hospital staff, Innisfail, is spending a short holiday at the home of her mother, Mrs. G. Landymore.

Miss Ida Calhoun and S. Fawdry of Calgary spent Thanksgiving at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Calhoun.

A novelty gift sale and tea will be held in Halliday's store on Saturday, Oct. 29th by the Ladies Aid of the United Church.

"Billy" Pines left on Tuesday morning for his home in New Hamburg, Ont. Mr. Pines has been in the district for the past month looking after his business interests.

The Floral U.F.W.A. will hold a chicken supper and dance in the East Community Hall on Friday, November 4th.

Dances will be held in the Carstairs Hall every Saturday night from 9 until 12. Admission 30¢ each, tax included. Music by the BELLMARY Orchestra.

Moving pictures featuring "Silas Marner." Also additional reels for the children will be presented in the United Church on Monday evening October 17th at 8 p.m. Admission 25 and 10¢.

Remember you can get your Christmas Cards at the Chronicle office. There is no need to pay peddlars enormous profits when you can buy as good or better cards right at home at from 25 to 50 per cent less.

Word has been received from Rev. Currie of his safe arrival at Montreal. He is spending two or three days visiting friends in the East before resuming his journey. He expects to arrive in Crossfield this week-end.

It is expected that threshing

will be resumed again on Friday,

after being held-up for the past week.

The snow storm of Wednesday, Oct. 5th, was followed by an occasional shower which soaked the grain in stock and it is even doubtful if they will get started tomorrow.

### LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. F. Purvis left on Tuesday to spend a few days in Calgary.

Miss Pearl Plumb of Vulcan is visiting her sister, Mrs. Vince Patmore.

Miss Eleanor Mathewson of Red Deer, spent the week-end and holiday the guest of Mrs. A. Stevens.

Miss Alice Bliss of Calgary spent the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Garwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Halliday were visitors in Calgary Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Murphy of Calgary came up on Monday to attend the banquet.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sackett at the Didsbury Hospital, on Oct. 7, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Urquhart spent the week at the home of Mrs. G. A. Bishop, Calgary.

Miss Myrtle Methera of Calgary spent the weekend and holiday at home.

Bert Robinson and Charlie Jackson of Estuary, Sask. are visiting at the home of Guy Wickerson.

Wm. Stralo has brought in to the Chronicle office a cabbage weighing 22 pounds. Now beat that.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Reid of Calgary, came up on Monday to attend the banquet and social evening.

Miss Mabel Gordon who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gordon, returned on Tuesday to Three Hills.

Wm. Pogue has been painting the interior of his pool room and barber shop and needless to say it has made a wonderful improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Jones of Calgary spent the holiday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Crocker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McMillan and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Winnings spent Thanksgiving at the home of Justice and Mrs. Clarke, Calgary.

Miss Jean Collicut nurse-in-training at the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary, spent Thanksgiving at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Collicut.

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### Crossfield School Make Good Showing at Track Meet

Crossfield school made a good showing at the track meet held in Carstairs on October 5th.

Following is a list of the prize winners:

100 yard dash (open)—1st, Margaret Fitzpatrick; 2nd, Veva Green.

Broad jump (open)—1st, Margaret Fitzpatrick; 2nd, Veva Green.

Hop, step and jump (open)—1st Margaret Fitzpatrick; 3rd, Veva Green.

High jump (open) — 1st, Veva Green.

Soft ball throw (open) — 1st, Verna Pogue.

Soft ball throw, girls under 15—1st, Verna Pogue.

75 yard dash, girls 15 and under—1st, Kathleen Fitzpatrick; 3rd Mildred Metheral.

Broad jump, girls 15 and under—2nd, Kathleen Fitzpatrick.

Hop, step and jump, girls 15 and under—3rd, Kathleen Fitzpatrick.

Relay Race (open)—1st, Crossfield team—Margaret Fitzpatrick, Veva Green, Isabel Goldie, Kathleen Fitzpatrick.

440 yard dash (boys open)—2nd, Stanley Pogue.

50 yard dash, boys 12 and under—3rd, Harold Mair.

By Order of the Village Council.

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### Council Meetings

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By Order of the Village Council.

W. McEvoy, Sec-Treas

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